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BULGARIAN TELEPHONE SYSTEM EXPANDING

The Minister of Posts, Telegraph, and Telephone announces that the provisions of the plan for expansion and improvement of Bulgarian telephone facilities during 1949 include a completely automatic telephone system for Sofia and several other cities. They also provide for building several new exchanges and installing telephone connections in many villages for the first time.

The exchanges in Burgas, Varna, and Plovdiv are to be expanded. Automatic telephone exchanges have already been installed at Samovodan and Turnovsko, and one at Orlandovci will be completed by the end of the quarter.

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